

HB1244



102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Introduced 2/17/2021, by Rep. Emanuel Chris Welch

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 105/14.1

from Ch. 127, par. 150.1

Amends the State Finance Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the State Employees' Retirement System.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning finance.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The State Finance Act is amended by changing
5 Section 14.1 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 105/14.1) (from Ch. 127, par. 150.1)

7 Sec. 14.1. Appropriations for State contributions to the
8 State Employees' Retirement System; payroll requirements.

9 (a) Appropriations for State contributions to the ~~the~~
10 State Employees' Retirement System of Illinois shall be
11 expended in the manner provided in this Section. Except as
12 otherwise provided in subsection (a-4) at the time of each
13 payment of salary to an employee under the personal services
14 line item, payment shall be made to the State Employees'
15 Retirement System, from the amount appropriated for State
16 contributions to the State Employees' Retirement System, of an
17 amount calculated at the rate certified for the applicable
18 fiscal year by the Board of Trustees of the State Employees'
19 Retirement System under Section 14-135.08 of the Illinois
20 Pension Code. If a line item appropriation to an employer for
21 this purpose is exhausted or is unavailable due to any
22 limitation on appropriations that may apply, (including, but
23 not limited to, limitations on appropriations from the Road

1 Fund under Section 8.3 of the State Finance Act), the amounts
2 shall be paid under the continuing appropriation for this
3 purpose contained in the State Pension Funds Continuing
4 Appropriation Act.

5 (a-1) (Blank).

6 (a-2) (Blank).

7 (a-3) (Blank).

8 (a-4) In fiscal year 2012 and each fiscal year thereafter,
9 at the time of each payment of salary to an employee under the
10 personal services line item from a fund other than the General
11 Revenue Fund, payment shall be made for deposit into the State
12 Employees' Retirement System of Illinois from the amount
13 appropriated for State contributions to the State Employees'
14 Retirement System of Illinois of an amount calculated at the
15 rate certified for the applicable fiscal year by the Board of
16 Trustees of the State Employees' Retirement System of Illinois
17 under Section 14-135.08 of the Illinois Pension Code. In
18 fiscal year 2012 and each fiscal year thereafter, no payment
19 from appropriations for State contributions shall be made in
20 conjunction with payment of salary to an employee under the
21 personal services line item from the General Revenue Fund.

22 (b) Except during the period beginning on March 5, 2004
23 (the effective date of Public Act 93-665) and ending at the
24 time of the payment of the final payroll from fiscal year 2004
25 appropriations, the State Comptroller shall not approve for
26 payment any payroll voucher that (1) includes payments of

1 salary to eligible employees in the State Employees'
2 Retirement System of Illinois and (2) does not include the
3 corresponding payment of State contributions to that
4 retirement system at the full rate certified under Section
5 14-135.08 for that fiscal year for eligible employees, unless
6 the balance in the fund on which the payroll voucher is drawn
7 is insufficient to pay the total payroll voucher, or
8 unavailable due to any limitation on appropriations that may
9 apply, including, but not limited to, limitations on
10 appropriations from the Road Fund under Section 8.3 of the
11 State Finance Act. If the State Comptroller approves a payroll
12 voucher under this Section for which the fund balance is
13 insufficient to pay the full amount of the required State
14 contribution to the State Employees' Retirement System, the
15 Comptroller shall promptly so notify the Retirement System.

16 (b-1) (Blank).

17 (c) Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, beginning
18 July 1, 2007, required State and employee contributions to the
19 State Employees' Retirement System of Illinois relating to
20 affected legislative staff employees shall be paid out of
21 moneys appropriated for that purpose to the Commission on
22 Government Forecasting and Accountability, rather than out of
23 the lump-sum appropriations otherwise made for the payroll and
24 other costs of those employees.

25 These payments must be made pursuant to payroll vouchers
26 submitted by the employing entity as part of the regular

1 payroll voucher process.

2 For the purpose of this subsection, "affected legislative
3 staff employees" means legislative staff employees paid out of
4 lump-sum appropriations made to the General Assembly, an
5 Officer of the General Assembly, or the Senate Operations
6 Commission, but does not include district-office staff or
7 employees of legislative support services agencies.

8 (Source: P.A. 100-23, eff. 7-6-17; 100-587, eff. 6-4-18;
9 101-10, eff. 6-5-19.)